Call for **Board Members**



Empowering Youth. Forging Community.

Recruiting individuals with diverse life experiences and backgrounds to serve youth.

Do you want to help shape the leaders of tomorrow's Pikes Peak region? Forge Evolution is seeking new board members to join a 28year-old nonprofit that works within the court system while also operating out of the court system, in the sphere of prevention to provide critical resources to previously under-served and marginalized families and teens in our Colorado Springs community.

Primary Needs:

- The Business Owner
- The Fundraiser
- The Capital Campaigner •
- The Communicator •
- The Person with Lived **Experiences**

Apply today!



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Submit application and resume to

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The Business Owner

This individual would be an owner of a successful, medium-sized business. They will bring fresh ideas, initiatives, and activities for Forge to implement that will improve all aspects of our business. The Business Owner will help us build new strategic partnerships and bring proven business development resources to the organization.

The Capital Campaigner

Either as a board member or as a professional, our Capital Campaigner needs to have been involved in running a significant capital campaign. From start to finish, this individual should know how to manage the people and resources necessary to ensure that Forge raises more than enough money to purchase and upgrade a building to fit our needs. They should be well connected to donors and other financial opportunities in our community and have exceptional fundraising and project management skills.

The Communicator

To inspire our community, we need someone who understands our mission and is skilled at creatively communicating it to a variety of supporters. Along with excellent and effective communication skills, the Communicator must be a creative analyst, not just adept at storytelling, but capable of being strategic about specific audiences to pursue and how to get their attention and, more importantly, their support.

The Fundraiser

Ideally, our Fundraiser would have worked in Development in our community during their professional career. Retired and with the time and energy to continue to make a difference, this individual would share their expertise in asking for money along with their ability to open doors so that others can ask for money. Working hand-in-hand with the Capital Campaigner and Forge's Development Director, the Fundraiser will develop our donor database, build enthusiasm for fundraising by the board, and rovide peer-to-peer accountability to ensure board members fulfill their fundraising obligations.

The Person with Lived Experience

This person can relate to the youth in the Forge and Teen Court programs because they have similar life experiences. Youth in our program come from a variety of backgrounds, but what they all have in common is being given a second chance to learn from their mistakes, and the need for skills and support to help them cope with the ever-increasing challenges thrown their way.